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FIGHT TO FINISH IN NEW COUNTY

And a Dual Government
Now Prevails.

TWO JUDGES SIT IN CONFLICT

Contest In McCreary County
Brings Up Complications
Hard To Unravel.

BADLY MIXED MUNICIPALITY

Somerset, Ky., April 5.—The newly created county of McCreary, which was carved out of remote portions of Pulaski, Whitley and Wayne counties, seems to be making a reputation for itself as a dual county. For some little time it has had two Executive County Committees in both the Democratic and Republican party, now it takes another step forward in that direction and has two County Judges, one Democrat and one Republican. Both, so reports from there say, are transacting legal business and presiding in courtly manner. This latter duality comes about by reason of a recent decision of the Court of Appeals which held the election of November, when J. E. Williams, Republican, was elected County Judge, as legal, and directs Gov. McCrory to issue Williams a commission. Gov. McCrory, however, has allowed thirty days in which to file a petition for rehearing and will not issue any commission to Williams until said petition has been passed on, either overruling his motion for re-hearing of the case, or else granting such motion, and, in the meantime, Harry Jones, who was appointed County Judge by Gov. McCrory, is still retaining his judgeship. Williams, after the Court of Appeals rendered its decision, it seems, has also taken up the reins of government as County Judge and the new county now has two men claiming to be the real goods when it comes to the judgeship of that county. Just what this will lead to and what kind of a tangle the court records will be in when the matter is finally determined is difficult to foretell.

Most of these dualities come about by reason of the keen rivalry between the two contesting towns for the county seat, Pine Knot and Whitley City. Whoever and whoever one of these little towns is for, the other is dead sure to be violently opposed to.

Williams, who was elected County Judge on the Republican ticket at the November election, is a resident of Whitley City, while Judge Jones, McCrory's appointee, is a resident and strong advocate of Pine Knot.

In the election for the selection of a county seat, Whitley City won by something less than 200 majority, but the election was contested on the grounds that the same was not legal and the matter, after a hearing on an interlocutory matter before one member of the Court of Appeals, is now before that body proper for final adjudication.

There was also a suit filed in the Wayne Circuit Court some time ago attacking the constitutionality of the act creating McCreary county, and asking that it be annulled, but this case has not yet been tried out in the lower court.

The fight to get the new county created was one of the hardest ever made before a legislative body. It is known that the committee in the Senate on the night before the last day of the session of that body voted to report the bill unfavorable, but all the machinery of the administration got immediately in behind it and had another meeting of the committee when the bill was reported out and passed the Senate late in the afternoon of the last day of the session of the Legislature and was signed by the Governor in a few minutes after its passage.

Events in the new county have been following thick and fast.

LOSES SUIT GROWING OUT OF POPULARITY CONTEST

Eikton, Ky., April 5.—In the Todd Circuit Court Judge Sandridge decided the case of Miss Carrie A. Johnson vs. J. Marshall Linall in favor of the defendant, holding

that the evidence did not sustain the charge of fraud or entitle the plaintiff to recover. The suit grew out of a popularity case conducted by a number of business firms of Guthrie, in which a \$350 piano was the prize, and the plaintiff claimed that through the wrongful and fraudulent acts of the defendant, Linall, one of those conducting the contest, about 20,000 votes that were cast for her were not counted, thereby causing her defeat in the contest.

SIX VICTIMS OF FLOOD SLEEP IN ONE BIG GRAVE

Williamstown, Ky., April 5.—This village was this afternoon the scene of one of the most remarkable events in its history, when six members of a family were laid side by side in one large grave.

They were James Porter, wife and four children, all of whom were drowned last week in the Dayton (Ohio) flood. The bodies arrived here last night.

The flood conditions did not permit their shipment earlier.

Six horses were driven in solemn procession to the grave, each carrying the body of one of the victims.

Scores of people from all sections of the county visited the undertaking establishment and viewed the bodies, and hundreds followed them to the burying ground.

The Porter family formerly resided near this place, and they had a large number of relatives here.

MOTHER OF DROWNED BOY IS CRAZED BY HER GRIEF

Lexington, Ky., April 5.—Mrs. Elijah Carr, who lives near Millersburg, in Bourbon county, has become insane and is physically prostrated by the shock from her son having been drowned in Hinkston creek during the flood a week or more ago, and the body not having been recovered.

The boy was drowned by falling from the horse on which he had ridden into the creek, and an older brother who accompanied him almost lost his life in a futile effort at rescue.

As soon as the flood in the creek had

in a measure subsided the stream was dynamited from the point where the boy had fallen in, to Rudde's Mill, a distance of four miles, in the hope of bringing the body to the surface.

This proving futile, the Lecking river into which the creek empties, was searched for some distance but no trace of the body was found.

SOCIETY "GENTS" PUT TO WORK AS LABORERS

Lexington, Ky., April 5.—Norman King and Elwood Akers, two well known young society men of this city, who went to Dayton, O., on their motorcycles three days ago on a sightseeing expedition to view the damage the flood did, report in a letter to associates here an unusual and unlucky experience.

In the little town of Franklin, O., which is under martial law, they

were pressed into service under the emergency regulations prevailing there and put to work as common laborers to help clean up the city.

Their first work was to help clean

out the court house cellar and disinfect basements and other places where refuse had accumulated.

Their soft palms and Sunday clothes did not prevent a shovel being placed in their hands for use, and in their letters to their folks here they say there is no place like home.

When we say Selling Out, we mean that we are going away in the next sixty days, and before we go we are going to sell every dollar's worth of goods in this store.

Our Selling Out prices are so low that we are confident there will not be a dollar's worth of merchandise left.

ROSENBLATT'S.

Demonstration Society.

Frankfort, Ky., April 7.—The Daviess County Farmers' Demonstration association has filed articles of incorporation in the office of the Secretary of State. C. F. Cressellus,

R. L. McFarland is president, Ben Stoltzle vice president, and W. C. Haycraft, secretary and treasurer.

Other incorporators are H. T. Miller,

J. S. Ashley and O. H. Pool.

Their purpose is to employ an agricultural expert and by every means

to promote the agricultural industry in the county and exploit its resources.

Selling out to quit business. We

are going away, but the goods must go first.

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To Elect Teachers.

The Board of Trustees of Hartford White Ground Common School

District No. 1 will, at its regular

meeting on Monday, April 14, 1913,

select teachers for the ensuing scholastic year. All applications to teach in said school should be addressed to

W. H. Barnes, Secy.,

Hartford, Ky.

Timber For Sale.

For sale 150 acres of standing timber on Rough river, three miles above Hartford.

F. W. PIRTLE,

Hartford, Ky.

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KILLS SELF WHEN SHE IS PURSUED

And Cornered By Her Negro Husband.

SCION ARISTOCRATIC FAMILY

Apparently Married Negro

To Take Revenge on

Divorced Spouse.

PITIFUL END OF LONE WOMAN

St. Louis, April 5.—Mrs. Julia McFarlane Gerhart, divorced wife of Charles B. Gerhart, brother of Frank H. Gerhart, Progressive candidate for Mayor of St. Louis, died this afternoon as the result of taking poison with suicidal intent, at the home of Mrs. Adeline Cox. Later Mrs. Cox announced that after her divorce, Mrs. Gerhart had married a negro.

Mrs. Gerhart, as she was known here, took the poison that resulted in her death two days ago and since then had been unconscious. She took the drug after a long spell of brooding because her negro husband had followed her from St. Paul to St. Louis and insisted on seeing her.

Mrs. Gerhart was divorced last November, and 15 days later, according to Mrs. Cox, she married a negro, L. W. Kellogg, at St. Paul.

Kellogg formerly was butler in the Gerhart home.

Mrs. Gerhart was an ardent

housewoman and huntress.

In her divorce petition filed last September, she said that Gerhart was worth \$300,000, but that since their separation the preceding April he had given her but \$30 for her support. She was granted alimony of \$2,100 a year.

Mrs. Cox said that soon after

Mrs. Gerhart came to her boarding

house to live the negro Kellogg be-

gan to call on her. Mrs. Cox ob-

jected to these visits, but Mrs. Ger-

hart answered that the negro was

her butler and came to see her on

Angst.

While the legislators were find-

ing their new seats a procession of

woman suffragettes representing

every congressional district in the

United States invaded the Capitol

and presented petitions demanding

a constitutional amendment for

equal suffrage.

In the House the day's proceed-

ings were principally of organiza-

tion. The re-election of Speaker

Clark was the first business after

about 100 new members had been

sworn in. Most new Senators, how-

ever, had been sworn in on inaugura-

tion day.

Vice President Marshall called

the Senate to order and administer

the oath to Senators-elect Sheri-

man, of Illinois, and Goff, of West

Virginia.

"This woman is my wife. I have

a right to see her."

Mrs. Cox took the negro to Mrs.

Gerhart and asked if she was his

wife. Mrs. Gerhart, according to

Mrs. Cox, did not answer. There-

after Mrs. Cox did not allow the

nego in the house.

Mrs. Gerhart was a scion of an

aristocratic family, being the niece

of the late Chief Justice George H.

MacFarlane, of the Missouri Su-

preme Court.

ENTHUSIASTIC MEETING OF DAVIES A. S. OF E.

The Owensboro Inquirer of Sun-

day says:

There was a good attendance

present at the meeting of the Da-

vies County local of the American

Society of Equity, which met in ex-

ecutive session in Owensboro on

Friday afternoon.

Every local in the county was

represented and the forming of

plans for the reorganization of the

county, and the election of dele-

gates to the district meeting at

Hawesville, on April 17, were the

chief features of the meeting.

There will be a large number of

new unions organized, and other

steps taken toward increasing the

interest of the Equity society. The

chairman of the meeting appointed a

committee to report back at a

called meeting to be held on May 9.

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DIRECTIONS HOW TO RAISE CORN

Which Are of Special Benefit to Boys in

THEIR COUNTY CORN CLUBS

How To Select the Land and Seed, Preparation of Seed Bed, Etc.

PLANTING AND CULTIVATING

The Agricultural Department of the Western Kentucky State Normal School, Bowling Green, Ky., has issued the following directions for corn cultivation in Kentucky:

Selection of Land.

1. See that land is well drained and as fertile as can be secured on the farm.

2. If possible to obtain, an acre not cultivated in corn last year is most desirable.

3. If there is a fall plowed field of clover or other sod, cow peas or pasture land on the farm, select an acre from that.

Fertilizing.

1. Use an abundance of well-rotted stable manure, if obtainable. Apply after land is plowed and work into soil thoroughly (25 tons is not too much if well worked in). Part of the manure may be applied before plowing if thought best.

2. If commercial fertilizer is used, one analyzing as nearly as possible, nitrogen, 3 per cent., phosphoric acid, 10 per cent., and potash, 2 per cent., is recommended. From 250 lbs. to 500 lbs. per acre should be drilled into the ground with a wheat drill about two weeks before planting. (Do not put fertilizer in the hill).

Preparation of Seed Bed.

1. BREAKING—(a) Fall breaking is best. (b) For spring breaking turn soil not less than 8 inches deep if not more than 10 inches deep. If possible, use disk or cutting harrow until manure is thoroughly mixed with soil. The land should be like a garden or ash pile.

Seed.

Get your seed corn from the best crop that has grown in your section of country. The variety does not matter so that it is known to have high yielding qualities. (If you have trouble in getting satisfactory seed, inform your County Superintendent and it will be attended to).

Planting.

1. Either in hills 3 feet 8 inches each way, or drills 18 inches, in rows 3 feet 8 inches apart.

2. Plant 3 inches deep.

3. If corn needs thinning or re-planting see to it as early as possible. (Try for uniformity).

4. Plant as soon as suits your conditions after April 15th.

Cultivation.

1. Any time from planting to your days afterward, harrow the ground smooth with a light harrow. Do not harrow or roll after it is up if you can avoid it.

2. Cultivate every week or ten days with fine tooth cultivator, or one-horse harrow, from time corn is large enough until it tassels.

3. Keep corn free from weeds. They take up the moisture that the soil needs.

4. If bull-tongues are used they should be small ones.

Very Important.

'Never work in soil when it is too wet, and never cultivate over two inches deep. (It will do more harm than good).

Study carefully all publications sent you, and keep a careful record of time (horses and men), material and money used on the acre. These will figure in your grade at the end of the work.

Respectfully submitted,

FRED MUTHLER.

HE USES PRESCRIPTION TAKEN FROM THE BIBLE

A colored man walked into the store of the Weatherhead Pharmacy company at Sixth and Vine streets, Cincinnati, the other day, and told the clerk that he wished a prescription filled. The clerk asked for the prescription, and the colored man took a small libble from beneath his arm and pointed to a passage.

Puzzled, the clerk summoned Wierman Brunke, the druggist, who read the passage, which was Exodus, xxx, 23-24. It read as follows:

"23—Take thou also unto thee principal spices, of pure myrrh 500 shekels and of sweet cinnamon half so much, even 250 shekels and of sweet calamus 250 shekels. 24—

And of cassia 200 shekels after the shekel of the sanctuary and of olive oil a hin."

The prescription is referred to in the synopsis of the chapter as "the holy anointing oil." In the same chapter, verse 13, it states that a shekel is twenty gerahs.

Brunke went to the library, and after delving in old volumes, found that a shekel was 24½ grains and a hin 1 gallon and prepared the prescription according to these proportions. All the ingredients mentioned are in common use to-day.

When the colored man returned for the prescription Brunke learned, upon inquiry, that he was the Rev. J. Y. Browne, a traveling evangelist of the Christian Faith band, and intended to use the anointing oil, the preparation of which was handed down by God to Moses, upon his communicants.

The Rev. Mr. Browne stated that he may soon need some more of the ointment.

THRILLING ESCAPES OF FROG HOEING FROM FLOOD

In Eastern Kentucky—He Went Through Some Harrowing Experiences.

Frankfort, Ky., April 4.—Prof. J. B. Hoeling, director of the Geological Survey, has returned from the vicinity of Whitesburg, Letcher county, after covering 200 miles either on foot or in boat, arriving at Ashland with the first authentic news out of the Big Sandy Valley.

He said when he passed through Jenkins and McRoberts provisions were growing scarce in those towns. Efforts were made to carry provisions there in wagons, but the roads were washed out and in many places impassable, and the railroads have ceased operating. He doubts whether provisions can be taken into the towns any way except on the backs of men. The fall is so great, however, in that section that as soon as the Ohio permits, the water will run out of the mountains.

Prof. Hoeling was with a survey camp a short distance from Whitesburg. He started away as soon as the perils of the situation became apparent. He left Whitesburg Thursday and did not reach Ashland until Sunday. He had attempted to telegraph to his family at Lexington, but after he reached home he received by mail the money he had paid for sending the message. The wires were useless.

He found that it was impossible to make his way over the mountains horseback and set out afoot. He caught a ride on a handcar for seven miles in a blinding snow-storm, climbed mountains, the roads of which were obliterated by landslides and washing, and slid down the opposite slopes, risking his life every hour. At Louisa he was rowed across the river and made his way to Kenova, W. Va., where trainloads of passengers had been abandoned. All the way up the river he saw freight and passenger trains standing on the tracks in the water, abandoned with their engines. He tried to secure the only motor boat in Kenova to go to Catlettsburg, but the chief of police said it was the only means they had of rescuing people from the flood, and just at that moment the boatman announced to the chief that they were out of gasoline and there was no more in town.

Another wayfarer suggested to Prof. Hoeling that if they could get to Catlettsburg they would find a good hotel. They secured a skiff and were rowed across, but when they approached the hotel, dodging the branches of trees that almost brushed them out of the boat, they saw boatmen taking guests out of a second story window. Their own boatman then rowed them to the nearest hill, whence they made their way by a circuitous route into Ashland. With the water supply cut off and the gas gone, guests at the hotel in Ashland were living meagerly, and candles were burned for lights.

"My little son had a very severe cold. I was recommended to try Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, and before a small bottle was finished he was as well as ever," writes Mrs. H. Silks, 29 Dowling street, Sydney, Australia. This remedy is for sale by all dealers.

"I want a five-cent loaf of bread."

"White or brown?"

"Either will do; it's for a blind man."

HOW WEDDING ITEM GOT MIXED WITH STOCK SALE

A paper in Nashville, Tenn., contained the following wedding item which got mixed up with a stock sale:

William Smith, the only son of Mr. and Mrs. Josiah Smith, and Mrs. Lucy Anderson were disposed

THE BASIC CAUSE FOR GREAT FLOOD

Which Has Swept Country Recently.

FATAL WATERS RUSHED DOWN

Great Continental Slope Into the Mammoth Continental Valley.

FLOODING OHIO AND INDIANA

(A. F. Ferguson in Louisville Herald.)

What is the reason for the great flood that swept death and destruction before it in Ohio and Indiana?

Why is it that great walls of water annually hurl themselves through the Ohio Valley or the Mississippi Valley?

When the continent of North America was raised from the waters that covered the globe, the peaks of the Appalachian Mountains appeared first; then came parts of the Rockies and then the Central Plain; the very first part of which to appear was the part now stricken with flood.

All parts of this country south of the Ohio river remained under water long after Ohio and Indiana emerged. But on the part of dry land just made was a ridge, the summit of which is north of the central parts of Ohio, Indiana and Illinois. This summit reaches a height of 1,000 feet above sea level at Bellefontaine, O., and the slope is so rapid to the south that Cincinnati is only 500 feet above sea level. Between the two points are Dayton and Columbus. Water that falls on one side of this summit flows south to the gulf. Water falling a few feet away on the other side flows to the Great Lakes.

When the southern part of the country rose above water, that section south of the Ohio sloped to the west toward the Mississippi and to the south, as shown by the courses of the Ohio, Cumberland, Tennessee and Mississippi rivers. The greatest slope was to the south. This formation, therefore, left the particular section in Indiana and Ohio, where the worst of the floods are to-day, the very lowest part of the Central Plain and the slope from them ran straight south to the gulf in an almost unbroken line, forming a depressed basin wide at the top and narrowing to the points between the Appalachian and Ozark Mountains from which point it widened west to the Rio Grand and east to join the depression of Florida and the Atlantic coast.

This mammoth gully, therefore, was the natural outlet for all the excess moisture of a vast region.

It was on this foundation at the top of the slope that the ice of winter formed. It was here that the rain and snow fell, vast quantities of it, during the last few weeks. It was against this that the wind beat and held the rain that was melting the ice in check. And then the wind suddenly slowed down. Its strength was not great enough to hold back the waters any longer. And the water poured forth over the land and engulfed it.

That is the explanation of the flood. The water will flow on, some of it will sweep down into the soil as it goes and its volume will be reduced. It is hardly possible that so much will be lost in this way, however, that there will not be enough left to flood the Mississippi and break the levees.

It may find some sidetrack and more of it may be speeded up than we have estimated. Owing to the fact that much of the ice has gone from the southern section of the route it must follow, the ground there might be in condition to receive more of it. But a further flood, not so disastrous, seems almost inevitable along the lower portions of the great hollow, for the force of the water will not be able to spend itself over a wide area until after the narrow neck between the Ozarks and the Appalachians has been passed.

North of the Ohio-Indiana ridge, the same flood conditions prevail, but are not so severe because they drain directly into the Great Lakes and there are more channels provided for the drainage.

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at public auction, one mile east in the presence of seventy-five guests, including two mules and twelve head of cattle. Rev. Jackson tied the nuptial knot for the parties, averaging 1,250 pounds on hoof. The beautiful horse of the bride was decorated with one sulky rake, one feed grinder and two sets of work harness, nearly new, and just before the wedding ceremony was pronounced, Meadell & Son's wedding march was rendered by one milch cow five years old, one Jersey cow and one sheep, who carried a bunch of bride's roses in her band, was very beautiful. She wore one light wagon, two crates of apples, three racks of hay, one grindstone of mizine desole and trimmed with 100 bushels of oats. The bridal couple left yesterday on an extended trip. Terms cash.

TERMS OF PEACE ARE ACCEPTED BY TURKS

The Ottoman Empire Accedes to Proposals of the European Powers.

Constantinople, April 2.—The Turkish Government to-day declared that it unreservedly accepted the final terms of peace proposed by the European Powers. The Foreign Office to-day handed the Ottoman acceptance to the Dean of the Diplomatic Corps here and expressed the thanks of the nation to the Powers for their mediation.

Bulgaria, Friday last, notified the Powers that she would accept the proposed terms of peace but persisted in her demand for a war indemnity.

The fall of Adrianople is considered likely to have some influence on future negotiations. The terms of mediation proposed by the Powers are as follows:

"The frontier of the Ottoman Empire in Europe shall start at Enos and, following the course of the Maritsa river and then that of the Ergene, shall end at Midia. All territories situated to the west of the line shall be ceded to Turkey by the allied States, with the exception of Albania, the delimitation of which shall be fixed by the Powers."

"The question of the Aegean Islands shall be settled by the Powers."

"Turkey shall abandon all claim to Crete."

"The Powers cannot favorably entertain the demand for indemnity, but they will permit the allies to participate in the discussions of the International Commission in Paris for an equitable settlement of their participation of the Ottoman debt and in the financial charges of the districts to be handed over to them. Turkey is to be asked to take part in the labors of this commission."

"The great Powers declare at the same time that as soon as these bases are accepted, hostilities shall cease."

Why He Was Late.

"What made you so late?"

"I met Smithson."

"Well, that is no reason why you should be an hour late getting home to supper."

"I know, but I asked him how he was feeling, and he insisted on telling me about his stomach trouble."

"Did you tell him to take Chamberlain's Tablets?"

"Sure, that is what he needs." Sold by all dealers.

Mistaken.

First Coster (outside picture dealer's window)—Who was this 'ere Nero, Bill? Wasn't he a chap that was always cold?

Second Coster—No; that was Zezo; an'ever bloke altogether.

"FAGGED-OUT" WOMEN

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MAKING FARMERS OF YOUNGSTERS

The Most Important Work Ahead of the Nation.

BOYS AND GIRLS OF THE FARM

Should Be Taught That Their Destiny Is One of the Greatest Possible.

FAMILY CONTESTS ARE GREAT

It has long been the custom for our boys and girls in the country and in the city to sing in school and public assemblage of the Star-Spangled Banner and how it long may wave, but no one has ever suggested that they lift their voices in praise or adoration of the potato, the corn cob or the wheat sheaf, without which there would be little nourishment in our national anthems. The time is coming along for epic thoughts on creeps, and the future generation must be taught to build those epic thoughts, says a writer in the Country Gentleman.

Round about election time stump orators go through the rural places to read the voting farmer a psalm of platitudes; how great and important he is; how he is the bone and sin

RUNNING ON AN EXACT SCHEDULE

Monster Comet Is Continually Traveling

AT SPEED OF 1,500,000 MILES

A Day—Rules of the Universe Which Beat the Boasted Man-Made Laws.

VISITS US EVERY 575 YEARS

We little human beings think we are doing something quite wonderful when we take a train weighing a few thousand tons and bring it through from San Francisco to Chicago on time to the second. And it is wonderful when the fact is considered that less than half a century ago the trip required nearer three months than three days, and such a thing as completing the journey at an appointed minute was out of the question.

This great feat, however, looks a good deal like a child hauling its tin train of cars around the kitchen when one considers the speed of one of the big comets.

There is a comet that comes within sight of the earth every 575 years. Its tail is millions of miles in thickness and many more millions of miles in length. It was first seen, so far as history records, 1,769 years before the birth of Christ. In a few weeks it faded from the sky, only to return in 1194 and 619 B. C.—The year that Julius Caesar died—44 B. C.—it came again, returning in 531 and 1106 A. D. The last time it was seen was in 1681, when Sir Isaac Newton beheld it, and discovered that comets are kept in their orbits by the sun, the same as the earth and the other planets.

Two hundred and twenty-seven years have now passed since the comet disappeared. Even if it has been traveling no more rapidly than the earth goes around the sun, its enormous bulk has been shooting through space at the rate of about 1,500,000 miles a day. Yet in 348 years from now—in 2256—this very same old comet that was already a well-known visitor when it looked down upon the deathbed of Julius Caesar will again come within sight of those human beings, yet unborn, who will then inhabit the earth.

Talk about a railroad train going halfway across a continent in three days and reaching its destination on time, what is such a performance, as compared with that of a comet that makes a trip of 310,000,000,000 miles in 575 years and keeps so closely to its schedule that it always bursts from the darkness at the moment when the astronomers expect it?

In the light of modern astrono-

my, comets are now chiefly interesting because they assist in demonstrating the immensity of space and the greatness of the power that controls the universe. But there was a time when comets were alternately feared and praised. In the fifteenth century the Christians, already sorely pressed by the Turks, beholding in the sky a strange visitor, prayed to be saved "from the devil, the Turk and the comet."

The pendulum of superstition had swung to the other side in the nineteenth century, and comets were supposed to have such a beneficial influence on the climate that good crops were sure to follow. Wine growers advertised as "comet wines" the beverages that they pressed from grapes grown in 1811 and 1858, the excellence of which was attributed to the comets that appeared in those years. [New York Press.]

PLEADS FOR FAIR SHOW FOR THE RAILROADS

In two Kentucky counties recently railroad companies were indicted by grand juries. In one instance a company was indicted for the failure of its employees to blow the engine whistle. In the other case the indictment was for excessive blowing of whistles. This leads a Central Kentucky paper to remark that no corporation in the world suffers as much from "adverse legislation and general knocking" as does a railroad.

There is a good deal of truth in the assertion. As a matter of fact those who are in the business of operating railroads must find it hard to run the roads to suit the public. One class of patrons inveighs against slow trains while another class protests against trains that are fast. One municipality objects to whistle blowing and drafts an ordinance accordingly. Another insists on well-night continuous blowing. The railroad companies are harassed by indictments on trivial grounds and they are constantly assailed by damage suits, some of which are utterly without merit. They are looked upon by petty politicians as legitimate prey and they are the target for all sorts of legislation, some of it wise and much of it foolish.

Communities that are without railroads always rejoice at a prospect of getting them. A town without a railroad is inevitably a town behind the times. A county without a railroad is virtually "out of the world." All such counties want railroads and some of them give subsidies and make stock subscriptions to secure them—a sensible thing to do, provided the amounts required are not unreasonable. But once a county gets a railroad, the "hammering" begins, and is continuous.

The railroads should be given a fair show. The county could not very well get along without them. In essential particulars they are, and should be, regulated by law. If held to proper accountability in important things, the public should be satisfied and should give small encouragement to legislative hold-ups and petty persecutions. [Louisville Courier-Journal.]

Study Telegraphy.

Recently the Telegraphy Department of Bowling Green Business University has filled twenty-five railroad positions and turned away seventy-six. It is impossible to supply the demands for operators. Now is the time for young men to study telegraphy.

Scents of Justice.

A gentleman visiting a jail noticed a colored man of his acquaintance whom he had never known to be guilty of wrong-doing.

"Why, Jim, what are you in here for?" he asked.

"I don't know, suh," replied the negro.

"Well, what have you been doing?"

"Nothin' 't all, suh—nothin' 't all."

"What made 'em put you in here, then?"

"Well, dey sez, boss, I wuz soun up fur fragrance." [April Lippincott's.]

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Awful.

Upgradson—What were your sensations when you came out of that severe attack of heart failure the other day?

Atom—Gipomy. Awfully gloomy. I realized that I'd have to give up smoking.

SUFFRAGE LEADER GETS LONG TERM

Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst Sentenced TO 3 YEARS PENAL SERVITUDE

Declares She Will Leave the Prison Soon, Either Dead or Alive.

PLANS TO REFUSE ALE FOOD

London, April 4.—Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst, the leader of the militant suffragettes, was to-day found guilty and sentenced to three years penal servitude at the Old Bailey sessions on the charge of inciting persons to commit damage.

The trial lasted two days. The jury added to its verdict of guilty a strong recommendation for mercy, and when the Judge pronounced the heavy sentence of three years, the crowd of women in the court room rose in angry protest.

As Mrs. Pankhurst stood up in the prisoner's enclosure her sympathizers cheered wildly, and then filed out of court singing "March On! March On!" to the tune of the "Marseillaise."

Mrs. Pankhurst's closing address to the jury lasted fifty minutes. She informed the court that she did not wish to call any witnesses. In her address she frequently wandered so far from the matter before the court that the Judge censured her.

Mrs. Pankhurst denied any malicious incitement. "Neither I nor the other militant suffragettes are wicked or malicious," she said.

"Women are not tried by their peers, and these trials are an example of what women are suffering in order to obtain their rights. Personally, I have had to surrender a large part of my income in order to be free to participate in the suffrage movement."

Speaking with much feeling, Mrs. Pankhurst fiercely criticised man-made laws, and said that the divorce law alone was sufficient to justify a revolution by the women. In impassioned tones she declared: "Whatever may be my sentence, I will not submit. From the very moment I leave the court I will refuse to eat. I will come out of prison dead or alive at the earliest possible moment."

She then repeated her determination to end her sentence as soon as possible, saying:

"I don't want to commit suicide. Life is very dear to all of us. But I want to see the women of this country enfranchised. I want to live until that has been done. I will take the desperate remedy other women have taken, and I will keep it up as long as I have an ounce of strength."

"This movement will go on whether I live or die. These women will go on until women have obtained the common rights of citizenship throughout the civilized world."

Justice Lush said:

"I must pass a severe sentence on you. If you would only realize the wrong you are doing, and use your influence in the right direction, I would be the first to use my best endeavors to secure a mitigation of your sentence. I cannot and I will not regard your crime as trivial. It is a most serious one."

No Vacations.

No vacations, no openings, no closings—this is the rule at the Bowling Green Business University, Bowling Green, Ky. Like Tennyson's Brook, it goes on forever.

WHERE JOKES COME FROM—SOME ANCIENT RELICS

Dr. Harry Pratt Judson, President of the University of Chicago, told the Hamilton Club that his specialists had discovered in their researches that most of the standard jokes now prevalent had been current 3500 B. C.

On bricks taken from the site of Nineveh the various "mother-in-law" jokes were inscribed. Even at that early date the mother-in-law was the "goat" for all domestic trouble. She chased her son-in-law from the domestic hearth, and the young husband is depicted as a frightened person. Babylon at a date several centuries later produced hieroglyphics showing the "ugly man" joke. If the ugly man met any uglier, he had vowed to kill him. The man to be sacrificed was willing because he was the uglier.

Prof. J. H. Breasted, the noted Egyptologist, discovered the variations of the jokes of the hashish young man proposing to the grouch

father for his daughter as early as 3500 B. C. The Egyptians of that period had the jokes of the "soise" who cannot open the door of his dwelling.

Prof. Starr, the famous anthropologist, found in the Philippines and Malay archipelago among the earliest researches, many evidences of the "boob" that rocks the boat and drowns his sweetheart and friends.

Dr. Judson believes the stories now current and forming some of the ammunition of the after-dinner speaker were told at the dawn of civilization. In fact, the chant of the old Whitechapel Club is true:

"In the days of old Rameses (are you on?) they told the same tale, sang the same song." [Chicago Cor. New York World.]

FIERCE FIGHT FOR PIE IN OHIO AND MUHLENBERG

In Ohio and Muhlenberg counties there has been an alliance of Progressives and "old liners" for the purpose of winning in the fight for the county offices—a fight for pie, not for principle, because the principles of the two wings of the Republicans are at too great variance for blending by an alliance, therefore must take a back seat while the battle for pie wages.

In every county in the State that we have noted an expression by the Progressives, except Ohio and Muhlenberg, they have rejected every overture made by the "old liners" for fusion in the fight for the offices. [Owensboro Inquirer.]

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NEBER MATTHEWS, FRANK L. FELIX,
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Entered at the Hartford post-office
as mail matter of the second class.

Now let springtime come gentle-
and as fast as it can scot.

From general reports it seems
that the Webb law will be harder
on fishing junkets than most any-
thing else.

The Ohio county Bull Moose is
still trotting along under the Ele-
phant's ears, trying to jump onto
its trunk for a ride—into office.

Lost, Strayed or Stolen—A fine
set of Progressive Party principles,
new and practically unused. Find-
er will be rewarded if he will keep
still about it until after election
day.

There is some talk of tying a
mouse to an invisible string at the
entrance to the White House to
ward off the threatened visits of
suffragists to the headquarters of
President Wilson.

Is there such a thing as political
conscience? If so, how can these
 erstwhile Bull Moose candidates of
Ohio county reconcile their present
political affiliation with their pro-
tests of only a few months ago?

It is said that the new five-cent
piece has been dubbed "the Bull
Moose nickel." On being asked why
it was called that, an old-line Re-
publican replied that a half dozen
of 'em looked about like thirty
cents.

This general announcement of
candidates for office among all par-
ties grants one special privilege and
enjoyment. It gives every one the
right to think he is going to be
nominated and elected for a few
months.

We suppose we have about the
same excuse for not printing the
Moose-Elephant platform recently
adopted by a little bunch of fellows
in Hartford that editor Barnett had
for refusing to print Mr. John Hen-
ry Thomas' defense of Republienn
principles last fall. Mooser Barnett
can probably explain.

President Wilson has decided to
set aside two hours each week, on
Thursday mornings and afternoons,
for "heart-to-heart" talks with the
newspaper correspondents. During
these hours the President will dis-
cuss administration policies and
sketch his official program, much
of the latter discussions neces-
sarily being in confidence and sole-
ly for the guidance of the writers.
It is a good policy and will help
the administration.

The boys and girls of the farm
are among the people who are set-
ting a pace for national development
that is worthy of all praise. In their
corn clubs, poultry raising and
other forms of farm work, they
are "teaching" the old folks some-
thing and at the same time reflect-
ing credit upon the whole family
for progressive industry of the
modern sort. There are few boys
and girls of the farm who cannot,
if they really try, fail to attain distinc-
tion in farm life.

Mooser Barnett, of the Hartford
Republican, calls the editor of the
Breckenridge News a liar—right in
print, too. Seems to be real hot in
the collar, with summer time and
a warm campaign yet before him.
And all because the News printed
a little item to the effect that the
Moose leaders of the State were
thinking about disciplining Mooser
Barnett for amalgamating with the
Republicans of Ohio county. Migh-
ty ugly name to call a brother editor
for a very small affront.

There are few things that give
more credit to a town or county
than a good band of local militia.
In this respect Hartford has been
fortunate for a number of years
past. Company H, Kentucky State
Guards, which is now made a part
of the national army, has always
embraced a fine body of young
men, zealous and loyal in their
work and a credit to the town,
county and State. They have seen
active service on several occasions.
The officers of the company also de-
serve much praise for the manner
in which they have led this com-
pany up to its present splendid
standing.

The Owensboro Messenger very
pertinently calls attention to the
rather lax methods employed by
the U. S. mail service during the
prevalence of high water. It seems
that it does not take very much in
the way of water or flood to balk
the carriers of mail in some sec-
tions of the country, which causes

great inconvenience to the public.
In many instances the express com-
panies have gone with packages
where the mail folks would not at-
tempt to go. The indifference of
some of the latter carriers has
caused much delay and complaint.

**BULL MOOSE ORGAN ON
FUSION IN OHIO COUNTY**

The Louisville Herald (State Pro-
gressive organ) says:

In the conclusion of its comment
on the fact that Progressives and
Republicans have fused in Ohio
county, the Post says: "The fact
of importance in this movement is
that the Progressives of Ohio county
pay no attention whatever to the
dally instructions from Louisville,
conveyed by the Herald from the
local Progressive Club."

The Post flatters us. Modesty
requires that we restate "the fact
of importance" thus:

The Progressives of Ohio county
pay no attention to the strong recom-
mendation of the State commit-
tee of the Progressive party and the
judgment of the conference of State
Progressives, to the effect that there
should be no fusion with other po-
litical parties.

In its opposition to fusion the
Herald has simply voiced the unan-
imous opinion of the State commit-
tee, with which, so far as we know,
the Progressive Club is in entire
harmony.

**UNIONTOWN HARD HIT
BY DESTRUCTIVE FLOOD**

Uniontown, Ky., April 5.—Union-
town has been practically wiped
out by the flood. Two churches and
one residence are about the only
buildings not carried away or badly
damaged by the torrents of water.
Rev. W. G. Archer, of the Evans-
ville Relief committee, reported
that to-day he saw eleven resi-
dences being carried away by the
river at one time. He reported that
he saw the home of the mayor of
the city collapse. He said that the
inhabitants of the town are being
eared for at the fair grounds, near
the city. There is grave danger of
much suffering for want of food.
The wharfboat was blown from its
moorings by the strong wind this
afternoon and carried a distance up
the river. The Wabash elevator re-
ported a loss of 12,000 bushels of
corn to-day.

In sixty days our store will close
for good. Every dollar's worth of
merchandise MUST BE SOLD.
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**CHILD'S FACE IN WINDOW
SAVED WHOLE FAMILY**

Henderson, Ky., April 5.—Fred
Zahm, a boatman, in crossing flood-
ed area above Henderson, Ky., saw
a child's face peeping out of the
small attick window of a house
with only the roof above the water.

Investigation showed Henry
Schneile, wife and five children in
the attic. The father and mother
had been without food for three
days, and the last meal the child-
ren had was Friday morning.

The attick window was too small
for the escape of the parents, and
to enable them to get out Zahm and
two companions had to chop a hole
in the roof. They were brought to
Evansville and provided for.

An Afternoon Tea.

The Greenville correspondent of
the Courier-Journal says:

An afternoon tea was given by
Mesdames A. W. and W. G. Dunn, Jr.,
Tuesday from 3 to 5 o'clock at the
home of Mrs. A. W. Duncan on
Cherry street, in honor of their
mother and sister, Mrs. J. W. Rich-
ardson, and Miss Annie Richardson,
of Hampton, Va., and Mrs.
Frank Felix, of Hartford. The
large dining-room was darkened
and beautifully decorated in yellow
and green, jonquils and ferns in
profusion, while numbers of yellow
candles burned on the sideboard,
mantel and dining table. The cen-
terpiece for the table was a large
pyramid of smilax and jonquils,
surrounded with candles. The col-
or scheme was carried out in refresh-
ments. Those who assisted in
receiving and serving were Mes-
dames Clarence M. Martin, C. W.
Roark, John T. Reynolds, Jr., and
Misses Louise Wickliffe and Helen
Puryear. Between sixty and seventy
guests were present.

Pitiable Plight.
Pitiable is the plight of the Pro-
gressive candidates. In the St.
Louis mayoralty election the choice
of Col. Roosevelt, personally in-
dorsed, received 4,611 votes out of
125,000 polled, while in Chicago the
new party was outvoted three to
one, Alderman Merriam, a former
Bull Moose enthusiast, being re-
warded for his recantation by an
election.—[Louisville Times.]

Gen. Simon Bolivar Buckner cele-
brated his 90th birthday on April
1st.

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THE HARTFORD HERALD**ORAL MESSAGE
BY PRESIDENT****To Congress, Is a Rather
New Procedure.****HE WANTS TO GET IN TOUCH
With National Lawmakers
In Order That Harmony
May Prevail.****HE WILL HOLD CONFERENCES**

Washington, April 6.—Setting
aside precedents of more than a
century, President Wilson will ap-
pear in the halls of Congress Tues-
day to deliver his first legislative
message in person. He announced
to Democratic congressional leaders
tonight that he would go to the
floor of the House when it convened
Tuesday and give that body his
views on the tariff.

This decision of the President
evoked much comment. He will be
the first President of the United
States to appear officially before
either branch of Congress in deliberative
session since John Adams, in
the first few years of the last
century.

An attempt was made exactly 100
years ago, in 1813, to revive the
custom, but President Madison de-
clined an invitation to discuss for-
eign relations with the Senate.
Since then no President has even
suggested joining in the deliberations
of Congress.

President Wilson made his plans
known to Majority Leader Under-
wood, of the House; Representative
A. Mitchell Palmer, of Penn-
sylvania, and other House Demo-
cratic leaders, that they might pre-
pare for the event.

The President believed that he
can get in closer touch with the
members of both Houses of Con-
gress by personally expressing his
views to them. In addition to his
official visits to the House, which
will become a matter of White
House policy, the President will
take advantage of these visits to

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hold conferences with the party
leaders in Congress.

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his friends that such a procedure
is fraught with embarrassments un-
less he tactfully keeps to his pur-
pose merely of giving advice as the
leader of his party and offering
suggestions to those with whom he
confers. Those who have discussed
this with him say he is convinced
that Congress will not misunder-
stand his intentions, that he will go
to the Capitol in a spirit of friendly
co-operation, so that there may be
at all times a unanimity of purpose
between the executive and legisla-
tive departments of the Govern-
ment.

BARNETT'S CREEK.

April 7.—Sunday School was orga-
nized at Barnett's Creek church
last Sunday.

Miss Dora Dean Hoover, of near
Buford, who has been visiting relatives
in this neighborhood for the past two weeks, returned home Sun-
day.

Miss Lueila Hoover, Clear Run,
was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie
Hoover and family Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Parks, of
near Beda, spent last Saturday
night with Mr. J. M. Paris and fam-
ily.

Misses Ida and Mattie Parks, of
near Beda, spent last Saturday
night with Miss Edna Ferrell.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bartlett spent
last Friday night with Mr. and Mrs.
Willie Bartlett and family, of East
View.

MERGER OF MINES A CERTAINTY.
The Louvaville Times of Thurs-
day says:

Within thirty days, it is probable,
the merger of about twenty-one of
the principal mines around Central
City in the western part of Ken-
tucky, will be completed. The new
coal corporation will be known as
the duPont Coal Company.

S. A. Yorks, who represents the
duPont interests at Central City,
has been in the city for several
days. He states that the consolidations
which was first promoted several
months ago will likely be con-
summated within the next month.

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M. T. WESTERFIELD,
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a candidate for the Democratic nomi-
nation for the office of Representa-
tive from Ohio county, subject to
the action of the General Primary,
Saturday, August 2, 1913.

For School Superintendent.

We are authorized to announce
L. B. TICHENOR,
Of Hartford, Ky., Route 5, as a
candidate for the Democratic nomi-
nation for the office of School
Superintendent of Ohio county, sub-
ject to the action of the Democrats
at the General Primary, Saturday,
August 2, 1913.

For Jailer.

We are authorized to announce
C. P. TURNER,
Of Hartford, Ky., as a candidate for
the Democratic nomination for the
office of Jailer of Ohio county, sub-
ject to the action of the General
Primary, Saturday, August 2, 1913.

For Sheriff.

We are authorized to announce
J. B. HOLBROOK,
Of Buford Precinct, as a candidate



LOCAL NEWS AND PERSONAL POINTS

U. S. Carson pays cash for furs. See Ford for Rubberoid Roofing.

I have hay for sale.
9ft R. B. MARTIN, Hartford.
Good work horse for sale.
15t2 JOHN P. TAYLOR.

Your opportunity — Rosenblatt's Selling Out.

Mr. W. T. Woodward has returned from Louisville.

Mr. A. Barker, city merchant, is in Louisville, buying goods.

Selling out to quit business. Almost giving goods away.

ROSENBLATT'S.

A carload of oats and corn just arrived.
W. E. ELLIS,
12t4 Produce Man.

Mr. E. M. Woodward went to Hopkinsville yesterday on legal business.

Capt. J. M. DeWeese, Louisville, and Dr. Charles DeWeese, Horse Branch, are in town.

Mr. J. A. Caldwell, Beaver Dam, Route 2, was a pleasant caller at The Herald office Thursday.

Mr. Jas. T. Davis, Hartford, Route 1, was a pleasant caller at The Herald office while in town yesterday.

At the recent A. S. of E. poultry sale in Hartford, two turkeys brought over \$5 apiece—a pretty good price for farm "birds."

Doors soon to close. We are going to leave and must close our doors within sixty days. Goods must go first, ROSENBLATT'S.

Mr. Ramey Duke, of the Hartford Republican, has moved to the residence recently rented of Mr. E. M. Woodward on Clay street—the pike.

Prof. Raymer Tinsley, principal of the Greenville High School, spent Saturday and Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Tinsley, Hartford.

Mrs. M. L. Heavrin, city, who had been visiting relatives and friends in Owensboro since last Thursday, returned home yesterday afternoon.

Miss Corinne Woodward and Mr. Connor Ford, who are attending the Bowling Green State Normal, spent Saturday until yesterday here, visiting relatives.

Mr. O. T. O'Bannon, who is engaged in the tie business for the L. & N. railroad at Decatur, Ala., visited his family here a few days the first of this week.

Born, to the wife of C. W. Bean, Sulphur Springs, last Saturday, April 5th, a fine girl. Mother and child getting along nicely and Caleb is at least an inch taller.

Messrs. J. A. Ruby, Beaver Dam, Route 2; Willie and Willis Hart, Narrows, Route 1; S. C. Moseley, Hartford, Route 1, were among The Herald's callers Wednesday.

Rev. Selville, pastor of the Methodist Church here, delivered two excellent sermons at the court house last Sunday morning and night to fine sized audiences.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Fielden, living near Schroeder's schoolhouse, were blessed with a little baby girl last Sunday evening, but the little one died after living only a few hours.

On account of high water east of here, the Stratfords failed to get to Hartford and appear at Dr. Bean's Opera House, as announced last week. They will probably fill the engagement here at an early date.

Messrs. J. B. Wade, S. M. Dexter, Jno. T. Rose and G. L. Geiger, Centertown; M. R. Maddox, Beaver

Dam, candidate for the Democratic nomination for Assessor; C. C. Hines, Olinton, Route 1, candidate for the Democratic nomination for Assessor; John W. Taylor, city; Warren Shelds and F. W. Clark, Cromwell, were among The Herald's callers Monday.

Messrs. G. W. Spinks, Olinton, Route 1; Esq. J. C. Jackson, Centertown; C. F. Boswell, Dundee; J. A. Baird, Hartford, Route 5; W. E. Berry, Hartford, Route 1, were among The Herald's callers Saturday.

Miss Poppy Nall is in the millinery business again this season and is showing the very latest in the millinery line at the most reasonable prices. Shop over Rosenblatt's store. Ladies are invited to call and inspect her line.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Duncan, of Greenville, who were summoned to the bedside of their daughter, Rev. Mrs. Isaac Swallow, of Bessemer, Ala., last Wednesday morning by telegram, will return home to-day, Mrs. Swallow being very much improved.

When we say Selling Out, we mean that we are going away in the next sixty days, and before we go we are going to sell every dollar's worth of goods in this store. Our Selling Out prices are so low that we are confident there will not be a dollar's worth of merchandise left.

ROSENBLATT'S.

Messrs. L. B. Tichenor, Hartford, Route 5, candidate for the Democratic nomination for County Judge; Ulysses S. Whalin, candidate for County Court Clerk, J. M. Ross and son Orville Ross, Centertown, and J. Caskey Bennett, city, were callers at The Herald office Friday.

Mr. W. P. Midkiff announces in this issue of The Herald for re-election to the office of Jailer of Ohio county on the Republican ticket. Mr. Midkiff has made a good jailer the past four years and he asks re-election as an endorsement of his work. He has many friends in the county who will stand by him, both in voting and in work in his interest. If re-elected, he promises the same faithful performance of duty.

Notice.

In order to reduce my stock, will sell bran and Shipstuff—pure wheat product—for cash only, until April 20, 1913, as follows:

By the ton \$28.50
By the 500 lb lots \$30.00
Less than 500 lb lots \$31.00

W. E. ELLIS,
Produce Merchant,
15t2

OIL FIELD NEWS.

Since the West Kentucky Oil Co. had well No. 2—the Snell well—drilled deeper it is producing 100 barrels each day. The Howard well No. 3 will be pumped as soon as the tubing can be placed.

Well No. 4 on Carter place is being drilled deeper. Well No. 1 Carter place, is making about same production.

Owing to the high waters, work on building the rig on the George Sullenger place has been temporarily abandoned.

The West Kentucky people have the timbers on the ground to build derrick for well No. 5, on the Widow Allen farm.

There are quite a number of oil men in town and the work of leasing and preparing to drill is the order of the day.

Notice.

Have just received a carload of Jones' Brand of Fertilizer. Will sell on easy terms by giving good note.

W. E. ELLIS,
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Your opportunity — Rosenblatt's Selling Out.

FISCAL COURT NOTES.

The Ohio County Fiscal Court having completed its work, adjourned last Saturday. The following are among the most important orders entered:

Kentucky Manufacturing Company allowed \$2,058.01 on account of American Ingot Iron Corrugated Culverts warrants ordered issued as follows: \$1,058.01 to be due and payable December 1, 1913, bearing 6 per cent. Interest from date and \$1,000 due and payable December 1, 1914, with like interest from date of issue.

Motion carried and so ordered.

Copy, Attest:

W. S. TINSLEY,
Clerk Ohio County Court.

T. H. Benton, road engineer, appointed as a delegate to the Good Roads Convention which meets in Louisville April 7, 8 and 9, 1913, expenses to be defrayed by the county.

Dundee Deposit Bank allowed \$2,500 together with 7 per cent. Interest thereon and due January 1, 1914. Money advanced to pay valid road and bridge claims against Ohio county.

F. T. Jackson allowed \$228.98 with 7 per cent. Interest on account of renewal of Fiscal Court order No. 1217, due October 5, 1913.

\$597.00 appropriated and payable out of levy of 1912, to pay local registrars and physicians.

H. T. Crowder, almshouse keeper, allowed \$322.25 for claim from January 1, 1913, to April 1, 1913.

Bank of Caneyville allowed \$2,000.00 to be issued in warrants of \$100.00 each, due and payable October 3, 1913. The above amount is borrowed to pay valid road and bridge claims.

Esqs. J. C. Jackson and Leslie Combs appointed as committee to co-operate with the State Representative to arrange and make contract for the rent of armory in Ohio county for the year, 1913, which amount is not to exceed \$10 per month for Ohio county's part.

\$20,000 appropriated and set aside for the repairing and maintaining of the public roads and bridges. County Road Engineer T. H. Benton, ordered to pay for claims now due for work on roads and bridges.

The Road and Bridge Engineer, Mr. T. H. Benton, directed to ascertain amount necessary to be appropriated for the maintenance of public roads and bridges in Ohio county and report to Fiscal Court Friday, May 23, 1913.

W. E. ELLIS,
Produce Merchant,
Hartford, Ky.

OIL FIELD NEWS.

Beaver Dam Deposit Bank allowed \$38,88 renewal interest on Fiscal Court order No. 1526.

T. H. Benton, road engineer, is ordered and directed to purchase or have made one road drag to be used as experiment by working public roads in Ohio county.

Bank of Caneyville allowed \$87.50 on account of interest on Fiscal Court order No. 1517.

W. P. Midkiff, jailer, allowed \$140.00 for services as jailer from January 13 to April 5.

Orders Ohio County Fiscal Court, regular April term, 1913.

Hon. R. R. Wedding, J. O. C. C., presiding and the following Justices present: Leslie Combs, J. L. Patton, Thomas Sanders, Grant Pollard, Mack Cook, O. E. Scott, J. H. Miles and J. C. Jackson.

Moved and seconded that all claims presented to this court for provisions, medical attention and services rendered to smallpox patients in Ohio county, be and the same are hereby referred back to the claimants and they are ordered and instructed to take such steps necessary to collect such accounts.

or any part thereof as may or can be collected.

And Esqrs. O. E. Scott, J. H. Miles and J. C. Jackson, are hereby appointed as a committee to make such investigations as are necessary to determine as to whether the parties against whom the claimants are presenting claims against Ohio county for, are paupers in the true meaning and intent as implied by the law. Esqrs. O. E. Scott to investigate Taylor Mines, J. H. Miles at Centertown, and J. C. Jackson at Rockport, and each of said Committee be supplied with a copy of this order.

Motion carried and so ordered.

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J. H. Wilson allowed \$1,200 together with 7 per cent. Interest and due January 1, 1914. Money advanced to pay valid road and bridge claims in Ohio county.

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R. T. Moore, treasurer, Ohio county, approved and ordered to record.

Dr. S. J. Wedding allowed \$20.80 for services as county health officer for the month of January, 1913.

Car Load Poultry Wanted.

I will pay the following cash prices; delivered at Hartford, Friday, April 11, 1913:

Hen 13 1/2¢

Cocks 7¢

Ducks 13 1/2¢

Turkeys 17¢

Geese 8¢

Guineas 15¢ each

Bring your poultry as early as possible. Will not receive any poultry after mixed train arrives going north. Please tell your neighbors.

Will load at Centertown on Thursday, April 19, at above prices. Will also load at Dundee, Saturday, April 12, at above prices.

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A Healing Salve for Burns, Chapped Hands and Sore Nipples.

As a leading salve for burns, sores, sore nipples and chapped hands, Chamberlain's Salve is most excellent. It relieves the pain of a burn almost instantly, and unless the injury is very severe, heals the parts without leaving a scar. Price 25¢. For sale by all dealers.

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My qualities are better and I give fair, honest treatment to my customers. If any of my competitors can BEAT that, they are entitled to your trade.

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The Produce Merchant

Hartford, Kentucky.

AN URGENT APPEAL BY STATE HEALTH BOARD

For Cities and Towns To Clean

Up—There Is Danger Of Much Sickness.

To the Officials and People of Kentucky: In view of the danger to health and life in most of the river counties and cities from unsanitary conditions and damage to water supplies, which will become more pronounced as the floods recede and the season advances, the State Board of Health, in the discharge of an evident public duty, appeals to the health and civic officials, the newspapers, business men's associations, women's clubs, and the people in every town and county in the flood districts, to call public meetings or in other ways arouse public sentiment for an organized, systematic and thorough clean-up campaign, the free lining and whitewashing of all recently overflowed premises, and the boiling of all suspicious drinking water.

Competent health boards and officials exist in every county and city in the State for just such emergencies, but they are entirely dependent upon the fiscal authorities of the jurisdiction for funds, and upon the people for such co-operation as will make their efforts effective. After the officials do all that is in their power, still more will remain to be done by the individual and family, and no good citizen should wait to be forced to an evident duty, especially as such work and the incident expense will be found far cheaper than the sickness which will follow neglect. Trained Inspectors are now in the most exposed sections, but the main responsibility is with the local officials and people, and it is to them that this appeal is addressed.

By authority of the Board.

JOHN G. SOUTH, M. D.

Pres. State Board of Health.

J. N. McCORMACK, M. D.

Secretary.

McHENRY.

April 7.—The Socialist party of Ohio county convened in Hartford Tuesday, April 1st, for the purpose of organizing and attending to other matters which might come before said body. Among the speakers were Geo. Barr, of Hartford, R. R. April 1st, for the Socialists party of Ohio county convened

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Illinois Central Railroad—Time Table at Beaver Dam, Ky.
North Bound. South Bound.
No. 132—4:05 a.m. No. 121—11:35 p.m.
No. 122—12:28 p.m. No. 101—2:48 p.m.
No. 102—2:48 p.m. No. 131—8:55 p.m.
J. E. Williams, A.R.T.

"POINTERS" ON BUYING A FARM

Of Value To Prospective Purchasers.

IS A CAREFUL UNDERTAKING

Minor Details Which Have Much To Do With the Bargaining.

GOOD EQUIPMENT NECESSARY

Those who wish to earn their living in the country cannot afford to make serious mistakes that cannot be repaired in a lifetime. Writers are advising town and city residents to buy farms, and it is this class especially which needs to know the truth about farms and farming. Unless this class is prepared for the change by right information it may mean a worse condition for them.

In the East there are opportunities for buying good improved farms, with very good buildings, for lower prices than elsewhere in the country, but if these farms were being made profitable they would not be offered for sale. What can be done by the right man in the right place is shown by the fact that part of our Eastern farmers have paid for farms and are now making their business profitable. Investigations have shown that the farmers who read good agricultural journals and keep in touch with State agricultural institutions and progressive agriculture are often making their farms pay more than 25 per cent. on their investment.

To buy a farm one needs a knowledge of about all the agricultural sciences. This knowledge, with present opportunities, is easily and cheaply obtained. Experiment stations, schools and colleges, and good agricultural papers are all ready to help.

A real estate agent, whose business it is to sell a farm, may know but little about it, and he only tells about the good points that he does know. Before the purchaser invests his money he needs to learn about the soil and natural conditions that would make the farm desirable. It is a waste of time to try to farm soils that, because of natural conditions, never could be made to pay good profits. In dairy or diversified farming, when there are yet plenty of soils which nature has prepared for man—loam of good depth, laid down on gravel or porous subsoil, that affords perfect drainage and has a capacity for growing all cereals and fruits and vegetables, that is measured only by the intelligence of the farmer.

Farms having the following natural advantages should be bought, if possible: Alluvial or washed-in soil along the rivers and smaller streams—that is, a clay loam on gravel—is preferable. Sandy loam does not hold fertilizers well. It is known as a "leaching soil." "Hardpan" land on impervious subsoil—will need to be artificially drained. The drainage will cost about \$30 per acre, so this amount should be deducted from the price asked for good loamy soil which is naturally drained in the same locality.

The summer is always the best time to buy a farm, for then one can observe the growth of all kinds of vegetation. One of the best standards of judging of the fertility of soils is to note the red clover growing in them. One is safe to plant any crop adapted to the locality if red clover is making a good growth. If the soil is acid it will cost something in the way of liming and aeration to get it right for crops.

The character of the soil is indicated by the kind of timber growing on a farm. Some of the soft woods, like hemlock, pine and chestnut, are desirable, but first see if the sugar maple thrives. Soil is rich in the elements needed for clover, corn &c., where the sugar maple, beech, birch and other hard woods grow large.

The timber lot that furnishes fuel, lumber and fencing material, and the spring that furnishes pure cold water for the residence and outbuildings, and for dairy purposes, have a value almost beyond

estimation. The timber lot covering the steeper portions of the farm prevents washing of the soil, and also conserves the water, and with its underground systems of water veins, is the reservoir that feeds the springs.

If one must go in debt, it is better to pay a large price for a farm with all equipment ready to begin profitable farming at once, than a small price for a farm that is only a futurity. It is better to buy good buildings, when they can be found on farms having the desirable natural advantages mentioned, than to build them. But do not reject a farm because of an old-fashioned farmhouse, if the location, soil and other natural conditions are desirable. Some of these houses were built when lumber was cheap and plenty, with large timbers, and will last for ages.

THE STEADY SUBSCRIBER.

How dear to our heart is the steady subscriber
Who pays in advance at the birth of each year,
Who lays down the money and does it quite gladly,
And casts round the office a halo of cheer.
He never says, "Stop it; I can not afford it,"
I'm getting more papers than now I can read."
But always says, "Send it; our people all like it—
In fact we all think it a help and a need."

How welcome his check when it reaches our sanctum.
How it makes our pulse throb; how it makes our hearts dance,
We outwardly thank him; we inwardly bless him—
The steady subscriber who pays in advance.

Bonded To Get It.
Tommy, after going to bed, became thirsty, or thought he did. He called out:

"Ma, I want a drink."

The mother's voice answered back:

"Tommy, you go to sleep."

Tommy grunted, turned over, and was silent for ten minutes, then again:

"Ma, I want a drink."

"Tommy, you go right to sleep," was the reply.

Intense silence again for ten minutes. Then:

"Say, ma, I want a drink."

"Tommy, if you don't go right to sleep I'll come and spank you."

More silence, this time for about two minutes. And then:

"Say, ma, when you come to spank me won't you bring me a drink?"

Well Matched.
A traveller in the West came across two men having a heated argument. The traveller drew nearer and heard:

"What do you know about the Lord's Prayer? I'll bet you ten dollars you can't repeat the first line."

"I'll take the bet," said the other man, and, turning to the stranger, asked him to hold the money.

"Now, what is the first line?" asked the first one.

"Now I lay me down to sleep."

"You win," said the first man.

"I didn't think you knew it!"

[April Lippincott's.]

Her Remorse.

"You say your wife threw a plate at you?"

"Yes; it was a fine china plate. It broke against my head."

"Didn't she appear sorry after she threw it?"

"Yes, she appeared very sorry."

"Ah, indeed. And what did she say?"

"She said she was a fool not to control her temper."

"Good. And what else did she say?"

"She said she didn't believe she could match that plate again if she hunted the town through."

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA**Split Log Drag Stands Test.**

The dashing, washing rain last Thursday demonstrated most forcibly the splendid work done on the highways where the King drag has been used intelligently. The road surface was soon in fine condition for travel, there were no mudholes or washed places and everyone who traveled these sections was impressed favorably. New determination to use these drags was aroused, and other sections will take up the work.—[Greenville Record.]

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454,797: California, 403,500; Texas, 306,400; Iowa, 260,735; Maryland, 260,000; Indiana, 232,764; Kentucky, 163,228; New Mexico, 140,575; Kansas, 131,000; Nebraska, 118,270; Colorado, 105,000; North Dakota, 99,871; Washington, 90,662; Montana, 87,119; South Dakota, 73,000; Oregon, 66,408.

POEMS YOU'LL ENJOY.**The Herald's Special Selections.****THE BABY'S SMILE.**

Oh, there's something mighty knowin' in a little baby's smile,
And there's something mighty grippin' in it, too;

An' unless your soul is stunted with the vicissitudes an' the trials,

It is bound to make a better man of you.

When the little lips start partin' into signs of gladness real,

An' the little eyes light up an' sparkle glee,

You forget the day's misfortunes an' the weight o' care you feel,

An' you're sure that you're as happy as can be.

You may be the glummiest fellow ever shrouded in despair,

You may wonder if the battle is worth while,

But your heart will start to beatin' just as though it had no care if the baby only greets you with a smile.

If you look across the table to the high chair where he stays And his little eyes look into yours, and then

Blaze into joy, as only little baby's eyes can blaze,

You forget the petty meannesses of men.

You forget that you are troubled, you forget that you are sad,

You are lifted for the moment from despair,

And you thank the Lord who made you and who let you be the dad Of the baby who sits smiling in his chair.

And if came Dame Fortune to you, with her sweetest smile, and said:

"I have hoarded all the money in a pile,

Just give up that little baby and it's yours," you'd shake your head,

And reply: "I'm richer with that baby's smile."

Not the Same.

They were strolling through the woodland.

"Yes," the youthful professor was saying, "it is a very simple matter to tell the various kinds of trees by the bark."

She gazed at him soulfully.

"How wonderful!" she exclaimed. "And can you—er—tell the various kinds of dogs that way?"—[April Lippincott's.]

A Card.

This is to certify that all drugists are authorized to refund your money if Foley's Honey and Tar Compound fails to cure your cough or cold. John Bernet, Teff, Wis., states: "I have used Foley's Honey and Tar Compound as a family medicine for five years and it has always given the best of satisfaction and produced good results. It will always cure cough or cold. For children it is indispensable on account of its pleasant taste and its freedom from opiates." Refuse substitutes. All dealers.

Cold.

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Old Line.

United States Life, Chicago.

Security Life, Chicago.

Accident.

Midland Casualty Co., Chicago.

A Welcome Visitor.

Select, Ky., March 31, 1913.

Mr. F. L. Felix, Hartford, Ky.

My Dear Sir:—Find enclosed \$1.50

to pay for balance due and as far in advance as it will go. Let the old Herald come. It has been a welcome visitor every week in my home for twenty-three years. With best wishes to The Herald and the Democratic party, yours,

C. W. RANNEY.

OUR FLAG SHELTERS

23,329,047 CATHOLICS

New York, April 4.—There are 15,154,158 Roman Catholics in the United States proper, according to the 1910 edition of the Official Catholic directory, and a total of 23,329,047 under the protection of the United States flag. There are 7,131,989 in the Philippines, 999,350 in Porto Rico, 11,510 in Alaska, 42,108 in the Hawaiian Islands and 900 on the canal zone. The figures are supplied by the Catholic bishops and chancellors of the dioceses concerned.

There are 14,312 churches in continental United States. There are 17,945 Roman Catholic priests, three cardinals, 11 active archbishops, 3 titular archbishops, 104 bishops, two archbishops, 2 archabbots and 15 abbots in the United States.

There are, according to the same authority, 288 Roman Catholic orphan asylums in which 47,415 orphans are being cared for.

Thirty-one States in the Union have over 50,000 Catholic population, including New York, 2,790,629; Pennsylvania, 1,633,353; Illinois, 1,469,987; Massachusetts, 1,383,435; Ohio, 743,065; Louisiana, 585,000; Michigan, 568,505; Wisconsin, 558,476; New Jersey, 506,000; Missouri, 470,000; Minnesota,

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FATTENING GIRLS FOR MARRIAGE

A Curious Custom of the
Ekol Tribes.

BRIDES STUFFED FOR MONTHS

Or Until They Are Considered
Properly Plump—Not
Allowed to Work.

THIN BRIDES ARE NOT WANTED

It is interesting to conjecture what English girls who are about to be married would think of the "fattening-house" custom of the Ekol tribes of South Africa. For their girls who have been betrothed are forced to go into retirement for a considerable length of time, while they are dieted and strengthened and fattened for their coming marriage.

The girl is not permitted to spend months in strenuous preparation for the ceremony. The man objects to such a proceeding. He says quite frankly that he wants her fresh and strong and perfectly rested. And her parents gather all the money to be had and spend it willingly in giving her the necessary seclusion.

First she is decked out in the conventional "fattening-house" costume, which is of the oddest. The "fattening-house" ornaments consist of long tassels and heavy, elaborate chains, made of dried palm-leaf fibers and dyed a vivid red. These are hung many times about the neck.

The body from the waist is smeared heavily with the same red dye, made from the camwood tree, and the face is painted in curious patterns and colors. The stranger and more hideous the pattern, the better satisfied is the girl. The hair is dressed very elaborately, high on the head and profusely decorated with combs and pompons and beads of all kinds and descriptions.

Then, after all that is duly attended to, she is put in the "fattening-house" and kept there for varying periods, from a few months to a couple of years, according to the wealth of her parents. For the board at such a place is not cheap, and often a family's purse is strained to afford the daughter a lengthy stay. She is not allowed to do any work nor to go out, except at regular intervals for exercise. And all the time she is most carefully and abundantly fed, that she may be plump and healthy.

It seems that the Ekol braves do not care for thin wives, and it was because of their tastes that such a custom originated. The girls are permitted no diversions either, except, if they wish, they may paint the walls of their room. But they are not allowed to wash their faces during the whole of their seclusion, for if they do, misfortune is sure to follow them in their married life. Then, at the end of their retirement, a wild festival is held and the marriage takes place. [Tilt Bits.]

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HOW HIS MAJESTY TOOK THE SEIDLITZ POWDERS

On the first consignment of Seidlitz powders in the capital of Delhi, the monarch became deeply interested in the accounts of the refreshing draught. A box was brought to the King in full court, and the In-

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Is one where health abounds.
With impure blood there cannot be good health.
With disordered LIVER there cannot be good blood.

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FOR RHEUMATISM KIDNEYS AND BLADDER

interpreter explained to His Majesty how it should be used.

Into a goblet he put the contents of the 12 blue papers, and, having added water, the King drank it off. This was the alkali, and the Royal countenance expressed no signs of satisfaction. It was then explained that in the combination of the two powders lay the luxury, and the 12 white powders were quickly dissolved and as eagerly swallowed by His Majesty.

With a wild shriek that will be remembered while Delhi is numbered among the kingdoms, the monarch rose, staggered, exploded, and, in his full agonies, screamed, "Hold me down!" then, rushing from the throne, fell prostrate on the floor.

There he lay during the long-coated effervescence of the compound, spurting like 10,000 pennies worth of imperial pop, and believing himself in the agonies of death—a melancholy and humiliating proof that Klaga are mortal. [Tilt Bits.]

CONTENTMENT.

(By W. H. Cundiff.)

All of the conservatives and reactionaries of the world preach contentment. They have no cause for dissatisfaction with present conditions—for themselves. So they desire others to be content; because, in the restlessness or satisfaction of mind without disquiet, is found security for themselves and acquiescence in that submission that all rulers desire.

King George the Third was very anxious for the American colonists to submit to his tyranny; and without protest. Had Washington, Henry and Jefferson, and the majority of the American people, been content with his rule, and quietly submitted to his tyranny and injustice, the probability is that to-day the people of America would be in subjection to an intolerable royal despotism, and that democracy, which is the terror of all rulers, would have been held in abeyance, indefinitely.

The masters and rulers of the world want docility on the part of the "common people;" and so they teach contentment for this reason. Well do I remember that, when I was an unsophisticated and verdant youth, my teacher wrote thus in my copy book: "Contentment brings peace of mind."

Ah! indeed, contentment among the masses brings "peace of mind" to the classes. Were the every-day-work-people content; were they, "like dumb-driven cattle," quiescent under economic wrong and political injustice, every trait magnate, every Morgan, every corrupt politician and every parasite on earth would rejoice, because there would never be an invincible democracy threatening to put an end to their piracy and misrule!

Democracy is the hope of the world and the emancipator of man from injustice and tyranny, which enslave and degrade all, and bring stagnation so greatly to life, thought and action, that civilization, progress and enlightenment are very much retarded in their growth and development.

Born a Democrat, hating tyranny and injustice, loving Liberty, Fraternity and Equality, I stand unalterably opposed to class rule, class legislation and industrial despotism imposed by a heartless, arrogant and corrupt plutocracy.

Pain in the Stomach.

If you continually complain of pain in the stomach, your liver or your kidneys are out of order. Neglect may lead to dropsy, kidney trouble, diabetes or Bright's disease. Thousands recommend Electric Biters as the very best stomach and kidney medicine made. H. T. Alston, of Raleigh, N. C., who suffered with pain in the stomach and back, writes: "My kidneys were deranged, and my liver did not work right. I suffered much, but Electric Biters was recommended and I improved from the first dose. I now feel like a new man." It will improve you, too. Only 50c and \$1.00. Recommended by James H. Williams.

Those Gift Cigars.

Hemmenhaw handed his best friend a cigar.

"Have a smoke," he said.
"Sure," said the friend.

"There, I'm glad that's off my mind!"

"Off your mind?"

"Yes; that cigar is the last of a box my wife gave me for Christmas, and I will tell you in confidence I have been handing them out all day. You got the last, ha, ha!"

"Well, the laugh is on you."

"On me?"

"Yes; I went with your wife to pick out those cigars, and they were the very best I could find in town."

Girls seldom go to the kitchen when they want to kill time.

BOARD OF CONTROL RULE WILL BE TESTED SOON

Fayette Judge Orders Eastern Asylum Officials to Receive a Former Patient.

Lexington, Ky., March 29.—

Charles Kerr, in the Fayette Circuit Court here to-day, entered an order which will make a test of one of the hard and fast rules adopted by the State Board of Control, and which has been rigidly enforced by the authorities of the Eastern Kentucky Hospital for the insane here. The court ordered the asylum authorities to receive S. B. Baker, who recently escaped from that institution, but was arrested soon afterward, charged with forgery. The county authorities in this and other counties, in conformity to the rule, have been notified on several occasions by the asylum officials that they would not receive a person back at the asylum after they had been away from the institution as long as three months.

Under this ruling it has been necessary to go to the expense and trouble of holding another trial and have the jury return another verdict of unsound mind before recommitment to the institution. The county authorities here explain that the rule of the board is a hardship, inasmuch as so many have escaped from the asylum or been turned loose on the public within the last year or two. The order of Judge Kerr directs the asylum authorities to receive Baker and keep him until he is discharged according to law.

Assistant County Attorney Chester Alanson states if the asylum officials refuse to receive Baker, he will ask for a rule forcing them to comply with the court order. Baker is now in jail.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo,) Lucas county, ss.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of One Hundred Dollars for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure. Frank J. Cheney.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D., 1886.

(Seal.) A. W. Gleason,

Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials—free.

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Take Hall's Family Pill for constipation.

An Interruption.

The impassioned oratress had reached the climax of her denunciation of the tyrant aex, when a little man in the corner said he arose to present a question of special privilege.

"Put him out!" shrieked many unfriendly voices.

"State your question," said the oratress.

"I want to marry you," said the little man. "I like your talk and I like your looks. I've got a good house and a twenty-horse-power motor car."

"Order! order!" shrieked the audience.

"Let him state his question," shouted the oratress.

"I'm fifty-two, a regular churchgoer, with a good business and \$6,000 in the bank," concluded the little man.

"Put him out!" yelled everybody.

"In deference to the popular demand," said the gifted oratress, "I'll have to ask you to wait on the outside."

"I'll wait," chuckled the little man.

Whereupon the oratress reappeared.

Rheumatism as a result of kidney trouble, stiff and aching joints, backache, lumbago and sore kidneys, all yield quickly to the healing and curative qualities of Foley Kidney Pills. They regulate urinary irregularities, and restore normal action. John Velbert, Foster, Cal., says: "I suffered many years with kidney trouble and could never get relief until I tried Foley Kidney Pills which effected a complete cure." Contain no habit forming drugs. All dealers.

The Woman and the Dog.

An elderly woman, with a small dog upon her lap, while riding in a trolley car, asked the conductor if he would kindly tell her when they got to Hazel street.

After she had got up two or three times, the conductor told her to keep her seat and he would let her

know when they reached Hazel street.

Finally he called out, "Hazel street!"

The woman held the dog up to the window and said, "Edo, look! There's where you were born!" Then, turning to the conductor she remarked, "I'm going to the end of the line." [Judge.]

RESTOCKING KENTUCKY
MOUNTAINS WITH DEER

Frankfort, Ky., March 29.—

Wood Longmoor, of the Game and Fish Department, has just returned from Wayne county, where he placed four Virginia white-tailed deer, three does and a buck, on the farm of J. T. Bates, about sixteen miles from Buraside. This is the first shipment of the thirty deer purchased by the Department. They will be distributed as they arrive and their progeny will be turned out in the Kentucky mountains. This is the breed which originally inhabited the mountains, but it was thought best to get the newcomers acquainted with the herbage and their surroundings before freeing them.

Mr. Longmoor said the deer attracted a great deal of attention. People rode for miles to see them, and stories of deer hunts in the old days were revived. From the interest shown, he said, he believes the people of that section appreciate the value of restocking the mountains and that violations of laws for the protection of the game will not be as numerous as many had anticipated.

Opportunity For Teachers.

Every teacher who attends the Kentucky Educational Association at Louisville April 30, May 1, 2 and 3 will have an opportunity to inspect the Louisville school system, which includes seven high schools, fifty-seven public schools, nine public eight schools, thirty public kindergartens, fifteen medical, law, business, dental and theological colleges, two military institutes, a dozen preparatory schools and an excellent system of parochial schools.

Telegraphy in Demand.

It is not probable that the young men of this country will ever experience another time in which the demands for telegraph operators will be greater than right now. The Bowling Green business university qualifies operators in four to seven months for positions in railroad service, fit them free literature at once and learn all about it.

Heed the Cough That Hangs On.

The seeds of consumption may be in lurk, and a cough that hangs on weakens your system, and lowers your vital resistance to disease. Take Foley's Honey and Tar Compound. It stops the cough, heals the inflamed membranes and strengthens the lungs. E. D. Roundtree, Stillmore, Ga., says: "La grippe left me with a deep-seated, hacking and painful cough from which I could get no relief until I took Foley's Honey and Tar Compound. It completely cured me." Refuse substitutes. Sold by all dealers.

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The frank statement of a neighbor, telling the merits of a remedy Ida you pause and believe. The same endorsement I am a stranger far away Commands no belief at all. Here's a Hartford case. A Hartford citizen testifies. Read and be convinced.

J. A. Baird, farmer, R. F. D. No. 5, Hartford, Ky., says: "I used only one box of Doan's Kidney Pills but that was all I needed to cure me of kidney weakness. For some time I have been troubled with sharp twinges across my loins. As I heard Doan's Kidney Pill highly recommended, I got a supply from the Ohio County Drug Co. and their use cured me. I can highly recommend this remedy."

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